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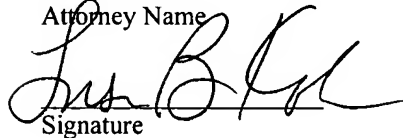
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Escudero and Peña
Appln. No. : 10/031,047 Examiner : Pak, Yong D.
Filed : September 23, 2002 Art Unit : 1652
For : NUCLEIC ACIDS, VECTORS, AND CELL LINES COMPRISING A
CYCLOOXYGENASE-2 (COX-2) PROMOTER AND METHODS OF
SCREENING FOR COX-2 INHIBITORS (as amended)

RESPONSE

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Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA
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In response to the non-final Official Action dated February 9, 2005, please
consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit herewith (i) a Petition
to Extend Time for a period of three months for filing of a response under 37 C.F.R. §
1.17(a)(3), up to and including August 9, 2005, together with the appropriate fee; (ii)
references as Exhibits I and II, and a PTO 1449 form listing these references; and (iii) a
Declaration (unexecuted)